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REMARKS

Interview Summary

Applicants thank Examiner Vaughn and Examiner Bayshore for courtesies rendered to applicant James H. Wolfston, Jr. and applicant's representative Michael O. Scheinberg during a May 6, 2004 telephone interview. During the interview, Mr. Wolfston presented a description of the problem his invention solved and described some key features of the invention and a proposed claim was discussed in relation to the Wang reference. Applicants agreed to file a Request for Continued Examination including a claim that more clearly describes the invention in regards to the function of the machine readable code.

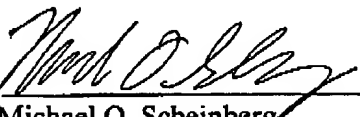
Claims

Claims 28-38 are in the application. Claim 28 is in independent form. Claims 28-38 are added by this amendment. Claim 28 clarifies that the machine readable code on the request is used to determine the electronic application form with which to associate the document.

Applicants submit that the claims are patentable over the art of record and respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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